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Application of Nicholas Jason Welton, et al.  
Serial No. 09/868,831  
Filed June 21, 2001  
For CAPSTOCK POLYMER COMPOSITION

November 29, 2001

**LETTER IN RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF  
MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371**

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS AND TRADEMARKS,  
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SIR:

\* In response to the "Notification of Missing Requirements  
\* Under 35 U.S.C. 371" dated July 20, 2001, enclosed is the  
\* applicants' executed Declaration and Power of Attorney in the  
\* above-referenced patent application. A copy of the Notice is  
\* returned herewith.

\* Also enclosed is a check in the amount of \$130.00 in payment  
of the surcharge under 37 CFR §1.492(e).

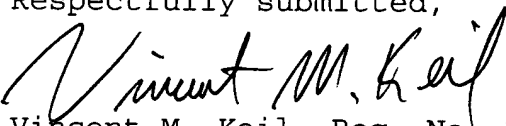
\* Applicants request an extension of time under 37 CFR  
\$1.136(a) up to and including December 20, 2001 for filing a  
response to the above-mentioned Notification. A check in the  
amount of \$920.00 in payment of the fee due under 37 CFR §1.17(a)  
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Respectfully submitted,

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**FEE TRANSMITTAL**

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**METHOD OF PAYMENT**

1. ☐ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the indicated fees to Deposit Account No. 19-1345.
- ☐ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 to Deposit Account No. 19-1345.
- ☐ Applicant claims small entity status.
- \* 2. ☒ Check Enclosed. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any under payment or credit any over payment to Deposit Account No. 19-1345.

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1. ☐ BASIC FILING FEE Subtotal (1) \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
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2. ☐ EXTRA CLAIM FEES Subtotal (2) \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
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3. ☒ ADDITIONAL FEES Subtotal (3) \$ 1,050.00
- ☒ Surcharge - late filing fee or oath  
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☐ Request for ex parte Reexamination  
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☐ Submission of Information Disclosure Statement  
☐ Recording each patent assignment per property  
☐ Request for Continued Examination  
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